

IN THE CLAIMS:

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15. **(Currently Amended)** A method for guiding a device to move linearly ~~a linear movement of limited extent of a device in a preselected direction that is perpendicular to an axis said device being operating in the imaging of an imaging~~ beam of a camera and with respect to a reference system of said camera, comprising the step of ensuring movability accurately and exclusively in said ~~predetermined preselected~~ direction by a link of said device to said reference system ~~movably at~~ movable in at least three articulate areas having articulate structural axes which are mutually parallel and perpendicular to said preselected direction.

16. **(Previously presented)** The method of claim 15, further providing a further link of said device to said reference system movably at at least three further articulate areas having respective further articulate axes being mutually parallel and being perpendicular to said articulate axes so as to guide said device additionally in a direction perpendicular to said preselected direction.

17. **(Previously presented)** The method of claim 15 or 16, wherein said device is operating in the imaging beam of a digital camera.

18. **(Previously presented)** The method of claim 15 or 16, wherein said device is operating in the imaging beam of a digital still image camera.

19. **(Previously presented)** The method of claim 15 or 16, wherein said device comprises an array of optoelectric transducers.

20. **(Previously presented)** The method of claim 15 or 16, wherein said device comprises an array of CCD or of CMOS image sensors.

21. **(Previously presented)** The method of claim 15 or 16, wherein said guiding is performed during multishot operation with said camera.

22. **(Currently Amended)** A guiding arrangement for a linear movement of a device carrier in a preselected direction of a device within a plane that is perpendicular to an imaging beam axis of an optical imaging system, said guiding arrangement comprising a link between a for said device carrier to a and said reference system at said optical imaging system, said link being exclusively movable about at least three articulate axes being which are mutually spaced, mutually parallel and parallel-perpendicular to said plane preselected direction.

23. **(Previously presented)** The arrangement of claim 22, further comprising a further link between said device and said reference system with at least three further articulate axes mutually spaced, mutually parallel and parallel to said plane and further at an angle to said articulate axes.

24. **(Previously presented)** The arrangement of claim 23, wherein said further articulate axes are perpendicular to said articulate axes.

25. **(Previously presented)** The arrangement of claim 22 or 23, wherein at least a part of said articulate axes are articulate axes of a thin layer hinge or of a film hinge.

26. **(Previously presented)** The arrangement of claim 22 or 23, wherein said link and/or said further link comprises a pantograph arrangement.

27. **(Previously presented)** The arrangement of claim 22 or 23, further comprising at least one movement drive comprising at least one piezo element.

28. **(Previously presented)** The arrangement of claim 22 or 23, comprising at least one piezo drive element operationally connected via a pantograph arrangement to said device.

29. **(Previously presented)** The arrangement of claim 22 or 23 being designed as a module.

30. **(Previously presented)** The arrangement of claim 29, said module being of one piece.

31. **(Previously presented)** The arrangement of claim 22 or 23 within a camera, said device comprising a matrix of optoelectrical transducers.

32. **(Previously presented)** The arrangement of claim 22 or 23, wherein said device comprises CCD or CMOS image sensors.

33. **(Currently Amended)** An apparatus which can be mounted to a camera which defines an imaging beam axis therein, said apparatus comprising:

a device which extends ~~in parallel with an imaginary plane~~ and ~~which defines perpendicularly to said imaging beam axis~~, said device also defining a first hinge,

a first transfer lever having first and second ends, said first end being connected to said first hinge so as to be ~~rotatable~~ tiltable therearound and said second end defining a second hinge so as to be ~~rotatable~~ tiltable therearound and said second end defining a second hinge which extends in parallel with said first hinge, and

a second transfer lever having first and second ends, said first end thereof being connected to said second hinge so as to be ~~rotatable~~ tiltable therearound and said second end thereof defining a third hinge which extends in parallel with said first and second hinges, said third hinge being mountable to a camera so that said device can be linearly moved a limited distance ~~in parallel with said imaginary plane~~ in a direction perpendicular to said imaging beam axis.

34. **(Previously Presented)** An apparatus according to claim 33, wherein said device comprises an array of optoelectric transducers.

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35. **(Previously Presented)** An apparatus according to claim 33, wherein said device is generally rectangular and said first, second and third hinges extend in respective planes parallel to said imaginary plane.